

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114(c)  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
GROUP 2626  
PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of Docket No: CQ10218  
Misty AZARA, et al.  
Appln. No.: 10/785,199 Group Art Unit: 2626  
Confirmation No.: 3364 Examiner: Michael C. COLUCCI  
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For: SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR SYNTHESIZING SPEECH USING DISCOURSE  
FUNCTION LEVEL PROSODIC FEATURES

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Sir:

In response to the FINAL Office Action dated April 1, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages. A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is being filed together with this Amendment.

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